

the same is hereby, increased from \$65,000 to \$70,656; and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby further authorized, in his discretion, to expend not exceeding \$5,656 in reimbursing those, or their legal representatives, who contributed toward the cost of constructing said building of two stories, as first planned, instead of as originally contracted for. And such reimbursement may be made from any appropriation provided for said building.

Approved, May 4, 1926.

Reimbursement to contributors to cost of first building.

Post, p. 875.

CHAP. 236.—An Act To correct and perfect title to certain lands and portions of lots in Centerville, Iowa, in the United States of America, and authorizing the conveyance of title in certain other lands, and portions of lots adjacent to the United States post-office site in Centerville, Iowa, to the record owners thereof, by the Secretary of the Treasury.

May 4, 1926.

[H. R. 3971.]

[Public, No. 176.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered to convey by quitclaim deed to the record owners of the north fifty feet of lot 4, block 3, Shield's Addition to the city of Centerville, Iowa, all the right, title, and interest of the United States of America, in and to a strip of land off the rear of the post-office site in said city; such strip to extend along the south side of said site and abutting on said lot 4, and be of sufficient width, approximately eight feet four inches, to include all that portion of said site that is encroached upon by the residence standing on the north fifty feet of lot 4 aforesaid: *Provided, however,* That the city of Centerville in order to correct an apparent street encroachment by the said post office, or its approaches, and to confirm and establish the lot lines of the said site as at present laid out and occupied, shall vacate and convey to the United States a strip of land off the south side of West Maple Street adjacent to the said post-office site, which site is known and described as lot 1 and the east half of lot 2, block 3, in Shield's Addition to Centerville, Appanoose County, Iowa, such strip to extend along the entire north side of said site and be of sufficient width, approximately eight feet four inches, to include all that portion of West Maple Street apparently encroached upon by the post-office building or its approaches as aforesaid.

Centerville, Iowa.
Conveyance of part of post office site in, to abutting owners.

Proviso.
City to convey land to correct site.

Approved, May 4, 1926.

CHAP. 237.—An Act Authorizing appropriations for construction at military posts, and for other purposes.

May 4, 1926.

[H. R. 10275.]

[Public, No. 177.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated not to exceed \$5,770,000 from the net proceeds derived from the sales of surplus War Department real property, including the sale of surplus buildings, deposited in the Treasury, as authorized by the Act approved March 12, 1926 (Public, Numbered 45, Sixty-ninth Congress), said sum to be expended for the construction and installation at military posts of such buildings and utilities and appurtenances thereto as, in the judgment of the Secretary of War, may be necessary, as follows:

Fort Benning, Georgia, continuing of barracks construction, \$725,000; Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, barracks for enlisted personnel, \$555,000; Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, hospital, \$100,000; Camp Lewis, Washington, beginning construction of post hospital, \$125,000; Fort Sam Houston, Texas, barracks, \$500,000; Selfridge

Army.
Construction of designated posts from Military Post Construction Fund.

Ante, p. 206.

Locations specified.

Field, Michigan, barracks, \$570,000; Selfridge Field, Michigan, non-commissioned officers' quarters, \$180,000; Camp Meade, Maryland, barracks, \$410,000; Fort Bragg, North Carolina, barracks, \$360,000; Fort Humphreys, Virginia, barracks, \$500,000; Camp Devens, Massachusetts, barracks, \$500,000; Erie Proving Ground, Ohio, barracks, \$47,000; Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland, officers' quarters, \$90,000; United States Disciplinary Barracks, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, hospital, \$125,000; Mitchel Field, New York, barracks, \$287,000; France Field, Panama, officers' quarters and noncommissioned officers' quarters, \$139,000; Schofield Barracks, Hawaii, noncommissioned officers' quarters, \$72,000; Fort Wadsworth, New York, barracks, \$285,000; Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama, barracks, \$130,000; noncommissioned officers' quarters, \$70,000: *Provided*, That any unexpended balances or combined unexpended balances of any of the above amounts shall be available interchangeably for appropriation on any of the hospitals or barracks herein authorized.

Approved, May 4, 1926.

Proviso.
Interchangeable bal-
ances.

May 5, 1926.
[S. 1609.]

[Public, No. 178.]

CHAP. 238.—An Act To increase the pensions of those who have lost limbs or have been totally disabled in the same, or have become totally blind, in the military or naval service of the United States.

Pensions.
Increase of rate for
loss of limbs or sight.
Vol. 41, pp. 536, 982.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the approval of this Act all persons now on the pension roll, and all persons hereafter granted a pension, who, while in the military or naval service of the United States and in line of duty, shall have lost one hand or one foot, or have been totally disabled in the same, shall receive a pension at the rate of \$65 per month; that all persons who in like manner shall have lost an arm at or at any point above the elbow, or a leg at or at any point above the knee, or have been totally disabled in the same, shall receive a pension at the rate of \$75 per month; that all persons who in like manner shall have lost one hand or one foot and in addition thereto shall have lost a portion of the other hand or foot, shall receive a pension at the rate of \$85 a month; that all persons who in like manner shall have lost one hand and one foot or shall have been totally disabled in the same, shall receive a pension at the rate of \$100 per month; and that all persons who in like manner shall have lost both arms or both legs, or have been totally disabled in the same, or shall have lost the sight of both eyes, shall receive a pension at the rate of \$125 per month.

Approved, May 5, 1926.

May 5, 1926.
[H. R. 4785.]

[Public, No. 179.]

CHAP. 239.—An Act To enable the Rock Creek and Potomac Parkway Commission to complete the acquisition of the land authorized to be acquired by the Public Buildings Appropriation Act, approved March 4, 1913, for the connecting parkway between Rock Creek Park, the Zoological Park, and Potomac Park.

District of Columbia.
Rock Creek, Zoologi-
cal, and Potomac Parks
parkway.
Completion of,
authorized from Dis-
trict funds.
Vol. 37, p. 885.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That to enable the Rock Creek and Potomac Parkway Commission to complete the acquisition of the land authorized to be acquired by section 22 of the Public Buildings Appropriation Act approved March 4, 1913 (Statutes at Large, volume 37, page 885), for the connecting parkway between Rock Creek Park, the Zoological Park, and Potomac Park, there is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of the surplus revenues of the District of Columbia made available by Public Law